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## Ribbon Photo Board

Turn a plain corkboard into a customized photo board suitable for all your favorite pictures, postcards, artwork, and other mementos.



## Ingredients (Included)

- 1 12" x 12" corkboard
- 1 spool ribbon
- 13 colorful tacks

## You Supply:

- stapler or glue
- scissors
- fabric (optional)

## Directions:

Before starting, I covered my corkboard with leftover fabric, to make it more colorful. You can do this with a 12 x 12 inch fabric square and adhere it with fabric tape along the top, bottom, and sides, or you can cut a larger piece

of fabric and fold the corners on the back of the board, like wrapping a present. Glue or staple the fabric on the back of the board in that case. You can also use paint to decorate your corkboard instead, or leave it natural and decorate only with your photos!



1. Start one end of your ribbon at one corner. Either glue or staple the end to the back of the board, and spool the ribbon to the opposite corner. Cut the end and glue or staple it to the back of the board. I chose to use staples because I didn't have to wait for the glue to dry then!



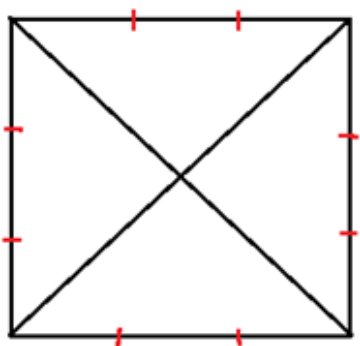
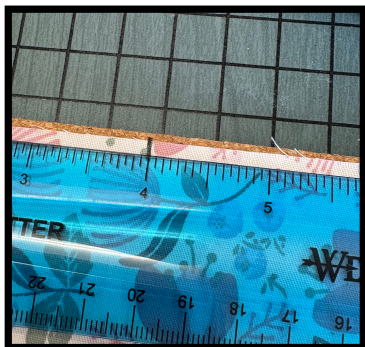


2. Repeat this step for the other diagonal corner. You'll now have two ribbons that cross to make an X on your corkboard.



3. Measure out on the top edge of your board where you want your ribbons to start and end, marking them out every four inches, so you'll end up with two marks on each side.

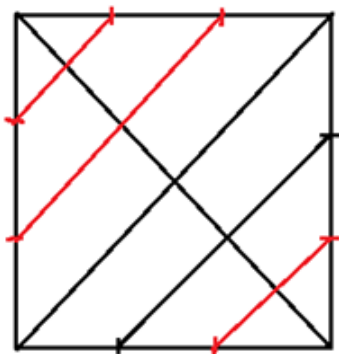
You're going to connect each mark diagonally with the one on the opposite side, until you have ribbons criss-crossed around your whole corkboard.



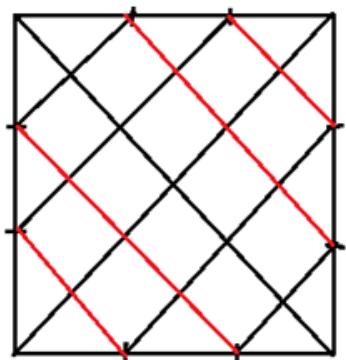
## Directions, cont.:

4. Like you did with the corner pieces, fasten one end of your ribbon with glue or a staple on one edge and run it diagonally across the board to the corresponding edge.

Do this with all of your marks on one side, connecting them diagonally with their opposite side.



5. Do the same thing with the opposite sides. You'll end up with a criss-cross pattern of ribbon across your board.





## Directions, cont.:



6. Push a pushpin through every location where the ribbons cross. You should use all 13 pushpins, though you can leave some off if you want some bigger spaces through which to tuck photos.



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